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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

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In response to the Notice to File Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C.

§371, for the above identified patent application, Applicant submits the following:

an executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney by the

inventors;

a copy of the Notice to File Missing Requirements.

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It is believed that no fees will be incurred as a result of this response. However, please charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment of such fees to deposit account 04-1121. Also in the event that any extensions of time are required for this response, please treat this paper as a petition to extend the time as required and charge deposit account no. 04-1121 therefore. **TWO COPIES OF THIS SHEET ARE ENCLOSED**.

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 01/31/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 01/31/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 01/31/2006
- Small Entity Statement filed on 01/31/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 01/31/2006

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The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

• Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.

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